

FISCAL NOTE

SB 2824 - HB 3345

February 18, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Limits the number of days for a general assembly member to receive the per diem reimbursement during the interim between sessions. Each member may receive the per diem reimbursement for not more than twenty-one (21) days for legislative office work. This provision does not apply to attendance at committee meetings of which a legislator is a member.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Expenditures - Less than \$100,000

If this bill had been in effect during 1997, the savings would have been approximately \$70,000. A limit of 21 days for legislative office work in 1997 would have resulted in approximately 446 less per diem days reimbursed and associated travel expenses. The estimated fiscal impact assumes 1997 was an average year with regard to the number of per diem days in excess of 21 for legislative office work.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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